

THIS IS TO CERTIFY, that William Shepherd volunteered  
in the company of the Missouri Invincibles on the \_\_\_\_\_ day  
of April \_\_\_\_\_ A. D. 1842, and entered the service of the Republic of Texas for  
six \_\_\_\_\_ months; That he ~~has~~ performed all the duties required of him as a  
private in said company \_\_\_\_\_ up to this time; and is this day and  
was honorably discharged. on the 10th August 1842 by me \_\_\_\_\_  
GIVEN UNDER MY HAND this 15th day of July \_\_\_\_\_ A. D. 1851

Alexander Henderson Late  
Capt. Missouri Invincibles